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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, GT
SUBJ: WASHINGTON POST ARTICLE ON EGP

REF: STATE 153279

1. THUS FAR THERE HAS BEEN NO COVERAGE IN GUATEMALAN PRESS
OR OTHER MEDIA OF WASHINGTON POST STORY BY FRANK KIEL, AND
WE WILL, OF COURSE, REPORT ANY COVERAGE THAT MAY RESULT.

2. INDISPUTABLY, IF THE STORY SHOULD BE REPRODUCED IN
LOCAL MEDIA, IT WILL INCREASE EXPOSURE OF US MISSION PERSONNEL
TO EGP RETALIATORY ACTION TO SOME EXTENT, ALTHOUGH WE ARE
UNABLE TO ASSESS RIGHT NOW EXACTLY HOW MUCH. IF PRESS
STORIES DO PLAY UP "US INTELLIGENCE SOURCES" OR EMBASSY
SOURCES AS BEING THE SOURCE OF THE INFORMATION IT WOULD
BE UNFORTUNATE.

3. WE WILL FOLLOW MATTER CLOSELY, REPORT TO DEPARTMENT,
AND BE ALERT TO SECURITY IMPLICATIONS.

4. BECAUSE OF ABSENCES OF SOME OF KEY OFFICERS, I AM NOT
YET IN A POSITION TO KNOW WHETHER EMBASSY SOURCES ARE
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RESPONSIBLE FOR EXCESSIVE INFORMATION GIVEN KIEL.
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